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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

PATENT

Application No.: 09/607,875
Filing Date: June 30, 2000
First Named Inventor Stephen J. Tolopka
Examiner's Name: Nguyen Ba, Hoang Vu A
Art Unit: 2122
Attorney Docket No.: 42390.P6656

An Amendment After Final Action (37 CFR 1.116) is attached and applicant(s) request expedited action.

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Applicant(s) claim small entity status (37 CFR 1.27).

ATTACHMENTS

Preliminary Amendment

Amendment/Response with respect to Office Action

Amendment/Response After Final Action (37 CFR 1.116) (reminder: consider filing a Notice of Appeal)

Notice of Appeal

RCE (Request for Continued Examination)

Supplemental Declaration

Terminal Disclaimer (reminder: if executed by an attorney, the attorney must be properly of record)

Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

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Fee Transmittal Document (that includes a fee calculation based on the type and number of claims)

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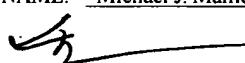
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Stephen J. Tolopka) Conf. No.: 9982
U.S. Serial No: 09/607,875) Examiner: Nguyen Ba, Hoang Vu A
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 13, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

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